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1. The Tri Duby (Q 49/C 74) military and civilian airfield was about 800 x 1,400 meters. The entire landing field with firm, level, loamy soil was covered with grass. Some buildings were completely destroyed in the war. They were replaced by new buildings which were, however, not as large as the old ones. \*
2. There were two hangars and some temporary buildings at the field.
3. The field was occupied by the 1st Pzr Regt equipped with about 20 to 25 Me-109 and La-5 fighters and by aircraft of the Ban-Bystrica (Q 49/C 76) and Zvolen Aero Clubs. The headquarters of the fighter regiment and quarters of the flying personnel was located at the northern border of Hajniky (Q 49/C 74)

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\*                      Comment. The information agrees with a previous report.                     

\*\*                      Comment. The occupation of the field by the 1st Pzr Regt agrees with reports of 1949.                      The information that the headquarters and the flying personnel are quartered on the northern edge of Hajniky is received for the first time. To date, it was not known that the field was also used by aircraft of Aeroclubs.

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